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Sir:

In compliance with the dictates of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant hereby submits an Information Disclosure Statement.

Attached are Japanese Patent 5-275740 and its US counterpart 5,233,204. JP 5-275740 can be found in the priority document JP 2002-223134 which was filed on July 28, 2003 with the application.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider each of these references and indicate such consideration by enclosing an appropriately initialled copy of the enclosed form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the Patent Office.

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